

MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 7(P)(2)(A)


TO: Honorable Chairman Joe A. Martinez
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

DATE: March 1, 2005

FROM: Robert A. Ginsburg
County Attorney

SUBJECT: Resolution codesignating
portion of SW 92nd Avenue
as Julia Fehr Avenue

The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Commissioner Katy Sorenson.



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Please note any items checked.

- ☐ "4-Day Rule" ("3-Day Rule" for committees) applicable if raised
- ☐ 6 weeks required between first reading and public hearing
- ☐ 4 weeks notification to municipal officials required prior to public hearing
- ☐ Decreases revenues or increases expenditures without balancing budget
- ☐ Budget required
- ☐ Statement of fiscal impact required
- ☐ Bid waiver requiring County Manager's written recommendation
- ☐ Ordinance creating a new board requires detailed County Manager's report for public hearing
- ☐ Housekeeping item (no policy decision required)
- ☐ No committee review

Approved _____ Mayor
Veto _____
Override _____

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3-1-05

RESOLUTION NO. _____

RESOLUTION CODESIGNATING SW 92ND AVENUE FROM
SW 136TH STREET TO SW 152ND STREET AS JULIA FEHR
AVENUE

WHEREAS, this Board has conducted a public hearing to consider codesignating SW 92nd Avenue from SW 136th Street to SW 152nd Street as Julia Fehr Avenue; and

WHEREAS, Julia Fehr was born on May 14, 1934 in Brooklyn, New York; and

WHEREAS, Julia Fehr was a single working mother of five, who devoted her life in protecting and saving the wooded southernmost "Coral Reef" stretch of undeveloped forest land located parallel to Dixie Highway between SW 144th Street and SW 152nd Street; and

WHEREAS, Julia Fehr personally took up the cause to protect and save this parcel of pineland that is now a recognized and protected area. Because of her knowledge, dedicated appreciation, and love of the rare wildlife, birds, indigenous plants and trees that thrived throughout the 25 acre limestone preserve, she refused to let it be destroyed; and

WHEREAS, Julia Fehr served actively and contributed to re-establishing The Rockdale Civic Association; she was able to involve and attract the attention and interests of numerous agencies and organizations, who also recognized the importance of her cause; and

WHEREAS, Julia Fehr, through her unrelenting efforts and actions over the years, ultimately achieved her goal to save the sensitive pinelands and coral reef, finally seeing it designated as a protected environmentally sensitive and endangered area; and

WHEREAS, Julia Fehr was a well recognized spokesperson who was quoted and interviewed in the Miami Herald, the Florida Urban Forestry Council, The Florida Native Plant Society and other similar news sources; and

WHEREAS, Julia Fehr passed way on October 15, 2002 and in appreciation of her efforts, this Board would like to honor the memory of Julia Fehr with this codesignation; and

WHEREAS, this proposed codesignation is located in County Commission District 8,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, that:

Section 1. This Board approves the codesignation of SW 92nd Avenue from SW 136th Street to SW 152nd Street as Julia Fehr Avenue.

Section 2. The Clerk of the Board is hereby directed to transmit a certified copy of this resolution to the United States Postal Authority, the Traffic Signals and Signs Division of the Public Works Department and Land Development Division of the Public Works Department, the Police Department, and the Fire Department.

The foregoing resolution was sponsored by Commissioner Katy Sorenson and offered by Commissioner _____, who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner _____ and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Joe A. Martinez, Chairman
Dennis C. Moss, Vice-Chairman

Bruno A. Barreiro
Jose "Pepe" Diaz
Sally A. Heyman
Dorrian D. Rolle
Katy Sorenson
Sen. Javier D. Souto

Dr. Barbara Carey-Shuler
Carlos A. Gimenez
Barbara J. Jordan
Natacha Seijas
Rebeca Sosa

The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 1st day of March, 2005. This resolution shall become effective ten (10) days after the date of its adoption unless vetoed by the Mayor, and if vetoed, shall become effective only upon an override by this Board.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA
BY ITS BOARD OF
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

HARVEY RUVIN, CLERK

By: _____
Deputy Clerk

Approved by County Attorney as
to form and legal sufficiency.

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Robert A. Ginsburg

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